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***AN ACT MAKING MINOR AND TECHNICAL CHANGES TO
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION STATUTES.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 30-7 of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

3 Every regulation made by the Department of Consumer Protection
4 under the authority of this chapter shall be furnished to each permittee
5 upon request. The department shall biennially, on or before July first in
6 the odd-numbered years, either (1) publish in convenient pamphlet
7 form all regulations then in force and shall furnish upon request copies
8 of such pamphlets to every permittee authorized under the provisions
9 of this chapter to manufacture or sell alcoholic liquor and to such other
10 persons as desire such pamphlets, or (2) post such regulations on the
11 department's Internet web site.

12 Sec. 2. Section 12-563 of the general statutes is repealed and the
13 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

14 All regulations of the department shall be adopted in the manner
15 provided in chapter 54. The commissioner shall, at least annually, on
16 or before December thirty-first of each year, either (1) publish in
17 convenient pamphlet form all regulations then in force and shall
18 furnish copies of such pamphlets to such persons who desire such
19 pamphlets, or (2) post such regulations on the department's Internet
20 web site.

21 Sec. 3. Subsection (a) of section 20-332 of the general statutes is
22 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
23 *passage*):

24 (a) Each examining board established under section 20-331 shall
25 have a seal and its members may administer oaths in the performance
26 of their duties. Each board shall keep a record of its proceedings and a
27 complete roster of all persons licensed or registered by it and entitled
28 to practice the occupation within the board's jurisdiction in this state.
29 Each board shall biennially either (1) furnish a copy of such roster to
30 each town clerk and shall notify such clerk of any deletions from such
31 roster within five days of such deletion, or (2) post such regulations on
32 the department's Internet web site.

33 Sec. 4. Section 20-377p of the general statutes is repealed and the
34 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

35 A certificate of registration as an interior designer shall be evidence
36 that the person named in the certificate is entitled to the rights and
37 privileges of a registered interior designer while such certificate
38 remains in effect. The commissioner shall keep a roster of the names
39 and addresses of all registered interior designers, all architects licensed
40 in accordance with the provisions of chapter 390 and of such other
41 information as the commissioner may by regulation require. Annually,
42 during the month of September, the commissioner shall place such
43 roster on file with the Secretary of the State and with the building
44 department and library of each town. The commissioner shall maintain

45 an index and record of each certificate of registration. A certificate shall
46 remain in effect until revoked or suspended as provided in section 20-
47 377s. The posting of such roster on the Department of Consumer
48 Protection's Internet web site shall constitute compliance with the
49 requirements of this section.

50 Sec. 5. Subsection (f) of section 25-129 of the general statutes is
51 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
52 *passage*):

53 (f) The department shall prepare a roster of all registered well
54 drillers and distribute it annually to the local director of health or his
55 agent and the building inspector, if there is one, of each town. The
56 posting of such roster on the Department of Consumer Protection's
57 Internet web site shall constitute compliance with the requirements of
58 this section.

59 Sec. 6. Section 43-3 of the general statutes is repealed and the
60 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

61 (a) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection shall be state
62 Commissioner of Weights and Measures. The commissioner may
63 appoint inspectors of weights and measures, with all the powers
64 incident to that office, when directed so to act by the commissioner.
65 Said commissioner shall take charge of the standards adopted, under
66 the provisions of section 43-2, as the standards of the state, and cause
67 them to be kept in a fire-proof building belonging to the state, or in a
68 suitable place in his office, from which they shall not be removed
69 except for repairs or for certification, and he shall take all other
70 necessary precautions for their safekeeping. He shall maintain the state
71 standards in good order and shall provide for their certification as
72 prescribed by the National Institute of Standards and Technology at
73 least once in ten years. He shall, at least once in two years, test by the
74 state standards all standard weights, measures and other apparatus
75 which belong to any municipality and shall seal such apparatus as is

76 found to be accurate, by stamping thereon, with seals kept for that
77 purpose, the letter "C" and the last two figures of the year of
78 certification. He shall have general supervision of the weights,
79 measures and weighing and measuring devices sold, offered for sale or
80 used in the state. He, or the inspectors by his direction, shall, at least
81 once in each year, test all scales, weights and measures used in
82 checking the receipt or disbursement of supplies in each institution for
83 the maintenance of which moneys are appropriated by the General
84 Assembly, and he shall [report, in writing,] maintain a record of his
85 findings and make such record available to the supervisory board and
86 to the executive officer of the institution concerned, and, at the request
87 of such board or executive officer, he shall appoint, in writing, one or
88 more employees, in the service of each institution, who shall act as
89 special deputies for the purpose of checking the receipt or
90 disbursement of supplies. He shall keep a complete record of the
91 standards, balances and other apparatus belonging to the state, and
92 take a receipt for the same from his successor in office. He, or the
93 inspectors at his direction, shall, at least once in two years, inspect the
94 work of the local sealers throughout the state and shall have power to
95 inspect and ascertain the correctness of all weights, scales, beams,
96 measures, instruments or mechanical devices for measuring, and tools,
97 appliances or accessories connected with any such instruments or
98 measures kept, offered or exposed for sale, sold, used or employed by
99 any proprietor, agent, lessee or employee in proving the size, quantity,
100 extent, area or measurement of quantities, things, produce or articles
101 for distribution or consumption, offered or submitted by such person
102 or persons for sale, hire or reward; and shall, from time to time, weigh
103 or measure packages or amounts of commodities of any kind kept for
104 the purpose of sale, offered for sale or sold, or in the process of
105 delivery, in order to determine whether the same contain the amounts
106 represented, and whether they are offered for sale or sold in
107 accordance with law. They may, in the performance of their official
108 duties, enter, without warrant, into or upon any stand, place, building
109 or other premises, or stop any vendor, peddler, junk dealer or driver of

110 any vehicle transporting or containing coal, coke, ice or other
111 commodity, or any dealer, and require him to proceed to some place
112 which they may specify, for the purpose of making tests. Said
113 commissioner or the inspectors may seal any such weighing or
114 measuring instrument or apparatus which is found to be correct and
115 may seize and destroy any incorrect weight, measure or weighing or
116 measuring instrument. The commissioner shall issue, from time to
117 time, regulations prescribing specifications and tolerances for
118 commercial weights and measures and weighing and measuring
119 devices and regulations for the guidance of municipal sealers, which
120 regulations shall govern the procedure to be followed by such officers
121 in the discharge of their duties. The commissioner may by regulation
122 exempt specific duties and restrict specific powers of the municipal
123 sealers appointed under the provisions of section 43-6 thereby
124 reserving exclusively to the commissioner within the municipality the
125 duties exempted and powers restricted. The commissioner may adopt
126 regulations, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54,
127 prescribing fees to be charged for any calibration services performed
128 by the Department of Consumer Protection, provided no fee shall be
129 charged for services provided in accordance with the provisions of
130 section 43-50 for those registrants residing in and having a place of
131 business in this state. Whenever any municipality required by section
132 43-6 to appoint a sealer of weights and measures fails to do so or when
133 a municipal sealer appointed under the provisions of said section fails
134 or neglects to perform his duties, the Commissioner of Weights and
135 Measures may direct his inspectors to perform such duties and the
136 clerk or comptroller of such municipality shall, upon notification and
137 request by the Commissioner of Weights and Measures, reimburse the
138 state for the cost of such services rendered.

139 (b) Notwithstanding any regulations to the contrary, the following
140 weighing and measuring devices shall be registered annually with the
141 commissioner and the commissioner shall charge the following annual
142 registration fees: (1) Each motor fuel dispenser, fifty dollars; (2) each

143 large weighing or measuring device, two hundred fifty dollars; (3)
144 each medium weighing or measuring device, one hundred dollars; and
145 (4) each small weighing or measuring device, thirty dollars.

146 Sec. 7. Section 12-575 of the general statutes is repealed and the
147 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from Passage*):

148 (a) The board may permit at racing events, exhibitions of the game
149 of jai alai licensed under the provisions of this chapter or at off-track
150 betting facilities, betting under a pari-mutuel system, so called,
151 including standard pari-mutuel, daily double, exacta, quinella, trifecta,
152 superfecta, twin trifecta, pick four and pick six betting, and such other
153 forms of multiple betting as the board may determine.

154 (b) The pari-mutuel system, so called, shall not be used or permitted
155 at any location other than the race track at which the racing event is
156 licensed to be conducted or the fronton at which the game of jai alai is
157 licensed to be played or at an off-track betting facility operated by the
158 department or by a licensee authorized to operate the off-track betting
159 system. A computerized electronic totalizator system, approved by the
160 commissioner, shall be used to conduct pari-mutuel wagering at each
161 racing or jai alai event. A computerized electronic totalizator system
162 approved by the commissioner and, where authorized by subsection
163 (b) of section 12-571a, and approved by the commissioner, a simulcast
164 system shall be used to conduct pari-mutuel wagering and
165 simulcasting of off-track betting race programs at off-track betting
166 facilities. The commissioner may require any licensee to submit
167 information concerning the daily operation of such totalizator or
168 simulcast system which he deems necessary for the effective
169 administration of this chapter, including records of all wagering
170 transactions, in such form and manner as he shall prescribe.

171 (c) (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, each
172 licensee conducting horse racing events under the pari-mutuel system
173 shall distribute all sums deposited in any pari-mutuel program to the

174 holders of winning tickets therein, less seventeen per cent of the total
175 deposits plus the breakage to the dime of the amount so retained; each
176 licensee conducting jai alai events shall distribute all sums deposited in
177 any pari-mutuel program to the holders of winning tickets therein, less
178 a maximum of eighteen per cent of the deposits in the win, place or
179 show pools and less a maximum of twenty-three per cent of the
180 deposits in all other pools plus the breakage to the dime of the amount
181 so retained; each licensee conducting dog racing events shall distribute
182 all sums deposited in any pari-mutuel program to the holders of
183 winning tickets therein, less a maximum of nineteen per cent of the
184 deposits in the win, place or show pools and less a maximum of
185 twenty-seven per cent of the deposits in all other pools plus the
186 breakage to the dime of the amount so retained, or, shall distribute all
187 sums deposited in all of its pari-mutuel programs conducted on any
188 day to the holders of winning tickets therein less twenty per cent of the
189 total deposits plus the breakage to the dime of the amount so retained,
190 provided on and after July 1, 1992, each licensee conducting dog racing
191 events on July 5, 1991, shall allocate four per cent of all sums deposited
192 in any pari-mutuel program to purses, one-quarter of one per cent to
193 capital expenditures for alterations, additions, replacement changes,
194 improvements or major repairs to or upon the property owned or
195 leased by any such licensee and used for such racing events, and one-
196 quarter of one per cent to promotional marketing, to reduce the costs
197 of admission, programs, parking and concessions and to offer
198 entertainment and giveaways. Each licensee conducting dog racing
199 events shall, on an annual basis, submit to the department certified
200 financial statements verifying the use of such allocations for purses,
201 capital improvements and promotional marketing. (2) Each licensee
202 conducting racing or jai alai events may carry over all or a portion of
203 the sums deposited in any pari-mutuel program, less the amount
204 retained as herein provided, in the twin trifecta, pick four or pick six
205 pari-mutuel pool to another pool, including a pool in a succeeding
206 performance.

207 (d) Each licensee conducting horse racing events under the pari-
208 mutuel system shall pay to the state, and there is hereby imposed: (1)
209 A tax on the total money wagered in the pari-mutuel pool on each and
210 every day the licensee conducts racing events, pursuant to the
211 following schedule:

T1	Total Wagered	Tax
T2	0 to \$100,001	3.25% on the entire pool
T3	\$100,001 to \$200,001	3.75% on the entire pool
T4	\$200,001 to \$300,001	4.25% on the entire pool
T5	\$300,001 to \$400,001	4.75% on the entire pool
T6	\$400,001 to \$500,001	5.25% on the entire pool
T7	\$500,001 to \$600,001	5.75% on the entire pool
T8	\$600,001 to \$700,001	6.25% on the entire pool
T9	\$700,001 to \$800,001	6.75% on the entire pool
T10	\$800,001 to \$900,001	7.25% on the entire pool
T11	\$900,001 to \$1,000,001	7.75% on the entire pool
T12	\$1,000,001 and over	8.75% on the entire pool

212 and (2) a tax equal to one-half of the breakage to the dime resulting
213 from such wagering. The commissioner, with the advice and consent
214 of the board, shall by regulation designate the percentage of the
215 difference between the seventeen per cent specified in subsection (c) of
216 this section and the tax specified in this subsection, which shall be
217 allocated as prize or purse money for the horses racing at each facility.

218 (e) Each licensee conducting dog racing events under the pari-
219 mutuel system shall pay to the state, and there is hereby imposed: (1)
220 (A) A tax at the rate of two per cent on the total money wagered in the
221 pari-mutuel pool on each and every day the licensee conducts racing
222 events or (B) on or after July 1, 1993, in the case of any licensee licensed
223 prior to July 5, 1991, (i) a tax at the rate of two per cent on any amount

224 up to and including fifty million dollars of the total money wagered in
225 the pari-mutuel pool in any state fiscal year during which a licensee
226 licensed prior to July 5, 1991, conducts racing events, (ii) a tax at the
227 rate of three per cent on any amount in excess of fifty million dollars
228 and up to and including eighty million dollars of the total money
229 wagered in the pari-mutuel pool in any state fiscal year during which a
230 licensee licensed prior to July 5, 1991, conducts racing events, and (iii)
231 a tax at the rate of four per cent on any amount in excess of eighty
232 million dollars of the total money wagered in the pari-mutuel pool in
233 any state fiscal year during which a licensee licensed prior to July 5,
234 1991, conducts racing events, and (2) a tax equal to one-half of the
235 breakage to the dime resulting from such wagering.

236 (f) Each licensee operating a fronton at which the game of jai alai is
237 licensed to be played under the pari-mutuel system shall pay to the
238 state and there is hereby imposed: (1) (A) A tax at the rate of two per
239 cent on any amount up to and including fifty million dollars of the
240 total money wagered on such games, (B) a tax at the rate of three per
241 cent of any amount in excess of fifty million dollars and up to and
242 including eighty million dollars of the total money wagered on such
243 games, and (C) a tax at the rate of four per cent on any amount in
244 excess of eighty million dollars of the total money wagered on such
245 games, and (2) a tax equal to one-half of the breakage to the dime
246 resulting from such wagering.

247 (g) The licensee authorized to operate the system of off-track betting
248 under the pari-mutuel system shall pay to the state and there is hereby
249 imposed: (1) A tax at the rate of three and one-half per cent on the total
250 money wagered in the pari-mutuel pool on each and every day the
251 licensee broadcasts racing events, and (2) a tax equal to one-half of the
252 breakage to the dime resulting from such wagering.

253 (h) The commissioner shall assess and collect the taxes imposed by
254 this chapter under such regulations as, with the advice and consent of
255 the board, he may prescribe. All taxes hereby imposed shall be due

256 and payable by the close of the next banking day after each day's
257 racing or jai alai exhibition. If any such tax is not paid when due, the
258 commissioner shall impose a delinquency assessment upon the
259 licensee in the amount of ten per cent of such tax or ten dollars,
260 whichever amount is greater, plus interest at the rate of one and one-
261 half per cent of the unpaid principal of such tax for each month or
262 fraction of a month from the date such tax is due to the date of
263 payment. Subject to the provisions of section 12-3a, the commissioner
264 may waive all or part of the penalties provided under this subsection
265 when it is proven to his satisfaction that the failure to pay such tax
266 within the time required was due to reasonable cause and was not
267 intentional or due to neglect. Failure to pay any such delinquent tax
268 upon demand may be considered by the commissioner as cause for
269 revocation of license.

270 (i) The commissioner shall devise a system of accounting and shall
271 supervise betting at such track, fronton or off-track betting facility in
272 such manner that the rights of the state are protected and shall collect
273 all fees and licenses under such regulations as, with the advice and
274 consent of the board, he shall prescribe.

275 (j) The amount of unclaimed moneys, as determined by the
276 commissioner, held by any licensee other than by licensees authorized
277 to operate a jai alai fronton, dog race track or the off-track betting
278 system on account of outstanding and uncashed winning tickets, shall
279 be due and payable to the commissioner, for deposit in the General
280 Fund of the state, at the expiration of one year after the close of the
281 meeting during which such tickets were issued. If any such unclaimed
282 moneys are not paid when due, the commissioner shall impose a
283 delinquency assessment upon the licensee in the amount of ten per
284 cent of such moneys or ten dollars, whichever amount is greater, plus
285 interest at the rate of one and one-half per cent of the unpaid principal
286 of such moneys for each month or fraction of a month from the date
287 such moneys are due to the date of payment. Subject to the provisions
288 of section 12-3a, the commissioner may waive all or part of the

289 penalties provided under this subsection when it is proven to his
290 satisfaction that the failure to pay such moneys to the state within the
291 time required was due to reasonable cause and was not intentional or
292 due to neglect.

293 (k) The commissioner may authorize deputies and the
294 Commissioner of Revenue Services or his agents are authorized to
295 enter upon the premises at any racing event, jai alai exhibition or off-
296 track betting race event for the purpose of inspecting books and
297 records, supervising and examining cashiers, ticket sellers, pool sellers
298 and other persons handling money at said event and such other
299 supervision as may be necessary for the maintenance of order at such
300 event.

301 [(l) The commissioner shall, on or before the tenth day of each
302 month, prepare and file with the Treasurer a full and complete
303 statement of the department's receipts from all sources and shall turn
304 over to the Treasurer all moneys in the department's possession.]

305 [(m)] (l) (1) The commissioner shall pay each municipality in which
306 a horse race track is located, one-quarter of one per cent of the total
307 money wagered on horse racing events at such race track, except the
308 commissioner shall pay each such municipality having a population in
309 excess of fifty thousand one per cent of the total money wagered at
310 such horse racing events in such municipality. The commissioner shall
311 pay each municipality in which a jai alai fronton or dog race track is
312 located one-half of one per cent of the total money wagered on jai alai
313 games or dog racing events at such fronton or dog race track, except
314 the commissioner shall pay each such municipality having a
315 population in excess of fifty thousand one per cent of the total money
316 wagered on jai alai games or dog racing events at such fronton or dog
317 race track located in such municipality. The commissioner shall pay
318 each municipality in which an off-track betting facility is located one
319 and three-fifths per cent of the total money wagered in such facility
320 less amounts paid as refunds or for cancellations. The commissioner

321 shall pay to both the city of New Haven and the town of Windsor
322 Locks an additional one-half of one per cent of the total money
323 wagered less any amount paid as a refund or a cancellation in any
324 facility equipped with screens for simulcasting after October 1, 1997,
325 located within a fifteen-mile radius of facilities in New Haven and
326 Windsor Locks. Payment shall be made not less than four times a year
327 and not more than twelve times a year as determined by the
328 commissioner, and shall be made from the tax imposed pursuant to
329 subsection (d) of this section for horse racing, subsection (e) of this
330 section for dog racing, subsection (f) of this section for jai alai games
331 and subsection (g) of this section for off-track betting. (2) If, for any
332 calendar year after the surrender of a license to conduct jai alai events
333 by any person or business organization pursuant to subsection (c) of
334 section 12-574c and prior to the opening of any dog race track by such
335 person or business organization, any other person or business
336 organization licensed to conduct jai alai events is authorized to
337 conduct a number of performances greater than the number
338 authorized for such licensee in the previous calendar year, the
339 commissioner shall pay the municipality in which the jai alai fronton
340 for which such license was surrendered was located, rather than the
341 municipality in which the jai alai fronton conducting the increased
342 performances is located, one-half of one per cent of the total money
343 wagered on jai alai games for such increased performances at the
344 fronton which conducted the additional performances, except the
345 commissioner shall pay each such municipality having a population in
346 excess of fifty thousand one per cent of the total money wagered on jai
347 alai games for such increased performances at such fronton. (3) During
348 any state fiscal year ending on or after June 30, 1993, the commissioner
349 shall pay each municipality in which a dog race track was operating
350 prior to July 5, 1991, one per cent of the total money wagered on dog
351 racing events at such dog race track. (4) During the state fiscal year
352 ending June 30, 2001, each municipality in which a dog race track was
353 operating prior to July 5, 1991, shall pay the Northeast Connecticut
354 Economic Alliance, Inc. two-tenths of one per cent of the total money

355 wagered on dog racing events at any dog race track operating prior to
356 July 5, 1991. (5) In the event a licensee incurs a loss from the operation
357 of a pari-mutuel facility, as determined by the commissioner, the
358 legislative body of the city or town in which such facility is located
359 may direct the commissioner to credit or rebate all or a part of the
360 revenue otherwise due to the municipality back to the facility. In no
361 case shall such credit and such reimbursement exceed the amount of
362 the licensee's loss, and in no fiscal year shall these provisions affect the
363 total fees paid to the state by the authorized operator of the off-track
364 betting system on its off-track betting activities.

365 Sec. 8. Section 7-173 of the general statutes is repealed and the
366 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

367 Any organization desiring to operate a bazaar or raffle in a
368 municipality which has adopted the provisions of sections 7-170 to 7-
369 186, inclusive, shall make application in duplicate, duly executed and
370 verified, to the chief of police of any municipality having a police
371 department or to the chief executive officer of any town in which there
372 is no police department, on a form to be prescribed by the
373 Commissioner of Consumer Protection, in which shall be stated [(a)]
374 (1) the name and address of the applicant; [(b)] (2) facts relating to its
375 incorporation or organization; [(c)] (3) the names, titles and addresses
376 of its officers; [(d)] (4) the kind of bazaar or raffle intended to be held,
377 operated and conducted by the applicant; [(e)] (5) the place where such
378 bazaar or raffle is intended to be conducted by the applicant under the
379 permit applied for; [(f)] (6) the date or dates and the time or times
380 when such bazaar or raffle is intended to be conducted by the
381 applicant under the permit applied for; [(g)] (7) in the case of a raffle,
382 the number and price of tickets intended to be sold; [(h)] (8) the items
383 of expense intended to be incurred or paid in connection with the
384 holding, operating and conducting of such bazaar or raffle and the
385 names and addresses of the persons to whom, and the purposes for
386 which, they are to be paid; [(i)] (9) the items of merchandise offered,
387 the price to be paid by the organization therefor or the retail value of

388 any prize donated, and the names and addresses of the persons from
389 whom purchased or by whom donated; [(j)] (10) the specific purposes
390 to which the entire net proceeds of such bazaar or raffle are to be
391 devoted and in what manner; and [(k)] (11) any other information
392 which the commissioner reasonably requires for the protection of the
393 public. In each application there shall be designated three active
394 members of the applicant under whom the bazaar or raffle described
395 in the application is to be held, operated and conducted and to the
396 application shall be appended a statement signed, under penalty of
397 false statement, by such members so designated that they are [electors
398 of the municipality in which the permit is sought] residents of this
399 state and will be responsible for the holding, operation and conduct of
400 such bazaar or raffle in accordance with the terms of the permit and
401 the provisions of said sections, and that the statements contained in the
402 application are, to the best of their knowledge and belief, true. Such
403 chief of police or chief executive officer, as the case may be, shall, at
404 least five business days prior to the date of such bazaar or raffle,
405 forward the original copy of such application to said commissioner
406 who shall review such application to determine whether the applicant
407 is qualified to hold, operate and conduct a bazaar or raffle under the
408 provisions of sections 7-170 to 7-186, inclusive, or any regulations
409 adopted pursuant thereto, and whether other requirements in said
410 statutes and regulations have been satisfied. For the purposes of
411 applying for a "Class No. 7" permit, authorized pursuant to section 7-
412 175, the application required pursuant to this section shall be made to
413 the Commissioner of Consumer Protection.

414 Sec. 9. Section 21a-190b of the general statutes is repealed and the
415 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

416 (a) Every charitable organization not exempted by section 21a-190d
417 shall annually register with the department prior to conducting any
418 solicitation or prior to having any solicitation conducted on its behalf
419 by others. Application for registration shall be in a form prescribed by
420 the commissioner and shall include payment of a fee of fifty dollars.

421 Such application shall include: (1) A registration statement, (2) an
422 annual financial report for such organization for the preceding fiscal
423 year that is prepared in accordance with the provisions of subsection
424 (a) of section 21a-190c, and (3) an audited financial statement as
425 required by subsection (b) of [said] section 21a-190c. Two authorized
426 officers of the organization shall sign the registration statement and
427 shall certify that the statements therein are true and correct to the best
428 of their knowledge. A chapter, branch or affiliate in this state of a
429 registered parent organization shall not be required to register
430 provided the parent organization files a consolidated annual
431 registration for itself and its chapter, branch or affiliate. Each charitable
432 organization shall annually renew its registration not later than [five]
433 eleven months after the end of such organization's fiscal year.

434 (b) In the event the department determines that the application for
435 registration does not contain the documents required in subsection (a)
436 of this section or is not in accordance with the regulations adopted by
437 the commissioner pursuant to this chapter, the department shall notify
438 the charitable organization of such noncompliance not later than ten
439 days after the department's receipt of such application for registration.
440 An application for registration shall be deemed to be approved if the
441 charitable organization is not notified of noncompliance by the
442 department not later than ten days after the department's receipt of the
443 application for registration. Any such charitable organization may
444 request a hearing on its noncompliant status not later than seven days
445 after receipt of such noncompliance notice. Such hearing shall be held
446 not later than seven days after the department's receipt of such request
447 and a determination as to the organization's compliance status shall be
448 rendered no later than three days after such hearing.

449 (c) In addition to the application fee required pursuant to subsection
450 (a) of this section, a charitable organization shall pay a late fee of
451 twenty-five dollars for each month, or part thereof, that such
452 application for registration is late. [except that such late fee shall not
453 include any month during which an extension of time was granted

454 pursuant to subsection (d) of this section.] The commissioner may,
455 upon written request and for good cause shown, waive or reduce any
456 late fee under this section.

457 [(d) The commissioner may, for good cause shown, grant an
458 extension of time, not to exceed six months from the date the report
459 was due, for the filing of a charitable organization's annual financial
460 report. Any previous registration shall remain in effect during any
461 such extension period.]

462 [(e)] (d) In the event that a charitable organization fails to register in
463 accordance with the provisions of this section, such organization shall
464 include in its application for registration an annual financial report for
465 each of the previous years in which such organization was required to
466 file an application for registration or an annual financial report.

467 [(f)] (e) Any charitable organization registered in accordance with
468 this section on September 30, 2005, shall be deemed to be registered
469 pursuant to this section until the last day of the fifth month after the
470 close of the fiscal year in effect on September 30, 2005.

471 Sec. 10. Subsection (f) of section 20-314 of the general statutes is
472 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
473 *passage*):

474 (f) All licenses issued under the provisions of this chapter shall
475 expire annually. At the time of application for a real estate broker's
476 license, there shall be paid to the commission, for each individual
477 applicant and for each proposed active member or officer of a firm,
478 partnership, association or corporation, the sum of five hundred sixty-
479 five dollars, and for the annual renewal thereof, the sum of three
480 hundred seventy-five dollars and for a real estate salesperson's license
481 two hundred eighty-five dollars and for the annual renewal thereof the
482 sum of two hundred eighty-five dollars. Three dollars of each such
483 annual renewal fee shall be payable to the Real Estate Guaranty Fund
484 established pursuant to section 20-324a. If a license is not issued, the

485 fee shall be returned. A real estate broker's license issued to any
486 partnership, association or corporation shall entitle the individual
487 designated in the application, as provided in section 20-312, upon
488 compliance with the terms of this chapter, but without the payment of
489 any further fee, to perform all of the acts of a real estate broker under
490 this chapter on behalf of such partnership, association or corporation.
491 Any license which expires and is not renewed pursuant to this
492 subsection may be reinstated by the commission, if, not later than two
493 years after the date of expiration, the former licensee pays to the
494 commission for each real estate broker's license the sum of three
495 hundred seventy-five dollars and for each real estate salesperson's
496 license the sum of two hundred eighty-five dollars for each year or
497 fraction thereof from the date of expiration of the previous license to
498 the date of payment for reinstatement, except that any licensee whose
499 license expired after such licensee entered military service shall be
500 reinstated without payment of any fee if an application for
501 reinstatement is filed with the commission within two years after the
502 date of expiration. Any such reinstated license shall expire on the next
503 succeeding [April thirtieth] March thirty-first for real estate brokers or
504 the next succeeding May thirty-first for real estate salespersons.

505 Sec. 11. Subsection (e) of section 20-417b of the general statutes is
506 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
507 *passage*):

508 (e) All certificates issued under the provisions of this chapter shall
509 expire biennially. The fee for renewal of a certificate shall be the same
510 as charged for the original application. A certificate shall not be
511 restored unless it is renewed not later than one year after its expiration.

512 Sec. 12. Subsection (g) of section 20-432 of the general statutes is
513 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
514 *passage*):

515 (g) Before the commissioner shall issue any order directing payment

516 out of the guaranty fund to an owner pursuant to subsections (e) or (f)
517 of this section, the commissioner shall first notify the contractor of the
518 owner's application for an order directing payment out of the guaranty
519 fund and of the contractor's right to a hearing to contest the
520 disbursement in the event that the contractor has already paid the
521 owner or is complying with a payment schedule in accordance with a
522 court judgment. Such notice shall be given to the contractor within
523 fifteen days of the receipt by the commissioner of the owner's
524 application for an order directing payment out of the guaranty fund. If
525 the contractor requests a hearing in writing by certified mail within
526 fifteen days of receipt of the notice from the commissioner, the
527 commissioner shall grant such request and shall conduct a hearing in
528 accordance with the provisions of chapter 54. If the commissioner
529 receives no written request by certified mail from the contractor for a
530 hearing within fifteen days of the contractor's receipt of such notice,
531 the commissioner shall determine that the owner has not been paid,
532 and the commissioner shall issue an order directing payment out of the
533 guaranty fund for the amount unpaid upon the judgment for actual
534 damages and costs taxed by the court against the contractor, exclusive
535 of punitive damages, or for the amount unpaid upon the order of
536 restitution.

537 Sec. 13. Subsection (a) of section 42-310 of the general statutes is
538 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
539 *passage*):

540 (a) As used in this section:

541 (1) "Buying club" means any partnership, corporation, limited
542 liability company, association, trust, or any other legal entity that
543 offers memberships to consumers for a fee whereby such consumers
544 may purchase consumer goods or services from such entity either
545 exclusively from a catalog or whose membership fee is two hundred
546 dollars or greater;

547 (2) "Consumer" means any person who purchases a consumer good
548 or service other than for resale;

549 (3) "Consumer goods or services" means goods or services
550 purchased or leased primarily for personal, family, leisure,
551 entertainment or household purposes.

552 Sec. 14. Section 20-419 of the general statutes is repealed and the
553 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

554 As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires:

555 (1) "Certificate" means a certificate of registration issued under
556 section 20-422.

557 (2) "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Consumer
558 Protection or any person designated by the commissioner to
559 administer and enforce this chapter.

560 (3) "Contractor" means any person who owns and operates a home
561 improvement business or who undertakes, offers to undertake or
562 agrees to perform any home improvement. "Contractor" does not
563 include a person for whom the total cash price of all of his home
564 improvement contracts with all of his customers does not exceed one
565 thousand dollars during any period of twelve consecutive months.

566 (4) "Home improvement" includes, but is not limited to, the repair,
567 replacement, remodeling, alteration, conversion, modernization,
568 improvement, rehabilitation or sandblasting of, or addition to any land
569 or building or that portion thereof which is used or designed to be
570 used as a private residence, dwelling place or residential rental
571 property, or the construction, replacement, installation or
572 improvement of driveways, swimming pools, porches, garages, roofs,
573 siding, insulation, sunrooms, flooring, patios, landscaping, fences,
574 doors and windows and waterproofing in connection with such land
575 or building or that portion thereof which is used or designed to be

576 used as a private residence, dwelling place or residential rental
577 property or the removal or replacement of a residential underground
578 heating oil storage tank system, in which the total [cash] price for all
579 work agreed upon between the contractor and owner or proposed or
580 offered by the contractor exceeds two hundred dollars. "Home
581 improvement" does not include: (A) The construction of a new home;
582 (B) the sale of goods by a seller who neither arranges to perform nor
583 performs, directly or indirectly, any work or labor in connection with
584 the installation or application of the goods or materials; (C) the sale of
585 goods or services furnished for commercial or business use or for
586 resale, provided commercial or business use does not include use as
587 residential rental property; (D) the sale of appliances, such as stoves,
588 refrigerators, freezers, room air conditioners and others which are
589 designed for and are easily removable from the premises without
590 material alteration thereof; and (E) any work performed without
591 compensation by the owner on his own private residence or residential
592 rental property.

593 (5) "Home improvement contract" means an agreement between a
594 contractor and an owner for the performance of a home improvement.

595 (6) "Owner" means a person who owns or resides in a private
596 residence and includes any agent thereof. An owner of a private
597 residence shall not be required to reside in such residence to be
598 deemed an owner under this subdivision.

599 (7) "Person" means an individual, partnership, limited liability
600 company or corporation.

601 (8) "Private residence" means a single family dwelling, a multifamily
602 dwelling consisting of not more than six units, or a unit, common
603 element or limited common element in a condominium, as defined in
604 section 47-68a, or in a common interest community, as defined in
605 section 47-202.

606 (9) "Salesman" means any individual who (A) negotiates or offers to

607 negotiate a home improvement contract with an owner or (B) solicits
608 or otherwise endeavors to procure by any means whatsoever, directly
609 or indirectly, a home improvement contract from an owner on behalf
610 of a contractor.

611 (10) "Residential rental property" means a single family dwelling, a
612 multifamily dwelling consisting of not more than six units, or a unit,
613 common element or limited common element in a condominium, as
614 defined in section 47-68a, or in a common interest community, as
615 defined in section 47-202, which is not owner-occupied.

616 (11) "Residential underground heating oil storage tank system"
617 means an underground storage tank system used with or without
618 ancillary components in connection with real property composed of
619 four or less residential units.

620 (12) "Underground storage tank system" means an underground
621 tank or combination of tanks, with any underground pipes or ancillary
622 equipment or containment systems connected to such tank or tanks,
623 used to contain an accumulation of petroleum, which volume is ten
624 per cent or more beneath the surface of the ground.

625 Sec. 15. Section 20-512 of the general statutes is repealed and the
626 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

627 The Commissioner of Consumer Protection, with the advice and
628 assistance of the commission, may adopt such reasonable regulations,
629 in accordance with chapter 54, as the commissioner may deem
630 necessary relating to the approval of schools offering courses in real
631 estate appraisal principles and practice and related subjects, the
632 content of such courses or programs and the advertising to the public
633 of the services of such schools. Such regulations [shall not] may require
634 approval of instructors at such schools.

635 Sec. 16. Subsection (a) of section 20-334a of the general statutes is
636 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*

637 *passage*):

638 (a) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the following
639 licenses may be issued by the Department of Consumer Protection,
640 upon authorization of the boards, under the provisions of section 20-
641 333:

642 (1) (A) An unlimited contractor's license may be issued to a person
643 who has served as a journeyman in the trade for which such person
644 seeks a license for not less than two years and, if such service as a
645 journeyman was outside this state, has furnished evidence satisfactory
646 to the appropriate state board that such service is comparable to
647 similar service in this state, or has furnished satisfactory evidence of
648 education and experience and has passed an examination which has
649 demonstrated that such person is competent in all aspects of such
650 trade to be an unlimited contractor. (B) A limited contractor's license
651 may be issued to a person who fulfills the requirements of
652 subparagraph (A) of this subdivision as to a specific area or areas
653 within the trade for which such person seeks a license. (C) The holder
654 of an unlimited or a limited contractor's license may, within the trade,
655 or the area or areas of the trade, for which such holder has been
656 licensed, furnish supplies and do layout, installation, repair and
657 maintenance work and distribute and handle materials, provided
658 nothing in this subdivision shall be construed to authorize the
659 performance of any action for which licensure is required under the
660 provisions of chapter 390 or 391. Such licensee shall furnish the board
661 with evidence that such licensee will comply with all state
662 requirements pertaining to workers' compensation and unemployment
663 insurance and that such evidence shall be available to any properly
664 interested person prior to the issuance of a license under this
665 subdivision.

666 (2) (A) An unlimited journeyman's license may be issued to any
667 person who has completed a bona fide apprenticeship program,
668 including not less than four years' experience in the trade for which

669 such person seeks a license, and has demonstrated such person's
670 competency to perform all services included in the trade for which a
671 license is sought by successfully completing the applicable state
672 licensure examination. (B) A limited journeyman's license may be
673 issued to a person who fulfills the requirements of subparagraph (A) of
674 this subdivision in a specific area or areas of the trade for which such
675 person seeks a license, provided the length of experience required may
676 be less than four years for such area or areas of the trade.

677 [(3) (A) An elevator craftsman's license may be issued to any person
678 who has completed an apprenticeship program, has at least two years'
679 experience in elevator installation, repair and maintenance work and
680 has demonstrated such person's competency to perform such work. (B)
681 An elevator helper's license may be issued for the performance of
682 elevator maintenance under the supervision of an elevator craftsman.]

683 [(4)] (3) An apprentice's permit may be issued for the performance
684 of work in a trade licensed under the provisions of this chapter, for the
685 purpose of training, which work may be performed only under the
686 supervision of a licensed contractor, journeyman or elevator craftsman.

687 [(5)] (4) An apprentice permit shall expire upon the failure of the
688 apprentice holding such permit to apply for the first licensure
689 examination given by the department following completion of an
690 apprentice training program as provided in subdivision (2) of this
691 subsection.

692 Sec. 17. Section 20-335 of the general statutes is repealed and the
693 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

694 Any person who has successfully completed an examination for
695 such person's initial license under this chapter shall pay to the
696 Department of Consumer Protection a fee of one hundred fifty dollars
697 for a contractor's license or a fee of one hundred twenty dollars for any
698 other such license. All such licenses shall expire annually. No person
699 shall carry on or engage in the work or occupations subject to this

chapter after the expiration of such person's license until such person has filed an application bearing the date of such person's registration card with the appropriate board. Such application shall be in writing, addressed to the secretary of the board from which such renewal is sought and signed by the person applying for such renewal. A licensee applying for renewal shall, at such times as the commissioner shall by regulation prescribe, furnish evidence satisfactory to the board that the licensee has completed any continuing professional education required under sections 20-330 to 20-341, inclusive, or any regulations adopted thereunder. The board may renew such license if the application for such renewal is received by the board no later than one month after the date of expiration of such license, upon payment to the department of a renewal fee of one hundred fifty dollars in the case of a contractor and of one hundred twenty dollars for any other such license. For any completed renewal application submitted pursuant to this section that requires a hearing or other action by the applicable examining board, such hearing or other action by the applicable examining board shall occur not later than thirty days after the date of submission for such completed renewal application. The department shall issue a receipt stating the fact of such payment, which receipt shall be a license to engage in such work or occupation. A licensee who has failed to renew such licensee's license for a period of over [one year] two years from the date of expiration of such license shall have it reinstated only upon complying with the requirements of section 20-333. All license fees and renewal fees paid to the department pursuant to this section shall be deposited in the General Fund.

Sec. 18. Subsection (d) of section 20-355 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(d) All licenses issued under this chapter shall expire annually. If a licensee has failed to renew his license within [one year] two years after its expiration, his application for renewal shall be considered as a new application under section 20-350.

733 Sec. 19. Section 20-654 of the general statutes is repealed and the
734 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

735 (a) No person shall receive a license under the provisions of sections
736 20-650 to 20-656, inclusive, until such person has passed an
737 examination which shall be substantially similar to the examination of
738 the National Court Reporters Association, or has submitted evidence
739 satisfactory to the board that such person is a Registered Professional
740 Reporter of the National Court Reporters Association or its equivalent.

741 (b) If the applicant satisfies the requirements of this section, upon
742 payment of the fee required by section 20-653, the board shall
743 authorize the Department of Consumer Protection to issue a license to
744 the applicant, showing that the person named in such license is
745 entitled to engage in the practice of shorthand reporting in this state in
746 accordance with the provisions of sections 20-650 to 20-656, inclusive.
747 Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (b) of section 21a-10, any
748 such license shall be valid for a period of three years.

749 (c) Any license issued under the provisions of sections 20-650 to 20-
750 656, inclusive, upon payment of the fee required by section 20-653,
751 may be renewed for a period of three years. As a condition of any such
752 renewal, the licensee shall furnish evidence satisfactory to the board
753 that the licensee has completed not less than thirty continuing
754 education credits since receipt of the initial license or the previous
755 license renewal. The Commissioner of Consumer Protection shall, by
756 regulation adopted in accordance with chapter 54 and upon the
757 recommendation of the board, establish requirements for (1) the
758 continuing education of licensed shorthand reporters; (2) the form and
759 content of the examination shorthand reporters are required to pass to
760 satisfy the licensure requirements set forth in subsection (a) of section
761 20-654; and (3) such other matters as the commissioner deems
762 necessary to carry out the purposes of this chapter.

763 (d) A licensee who has failed to renew such license for a period of

764 over two years from the date of expiration of such license shall have it
765 reinstated only upon complying with the examination requirements of
766 this section.

767 (e) Notwithstanding the provision of subsection (d) of this section,
768 upon application and fee, the board may, at its discretion, reinstate a
769 lapsed license without examination, provided such application for
770 reinstatement is accompanied by a notarized letter and supporting
771 documentation attesting to the applicant's related experience in the
772 field of shorthand reporting or similar work practice satisfactory to the
773 board from the time he or she had let such license lapse. Such
774 applicant, upon approval by the board, shall pay all back license and
775 late fees.

776 Sec. 20. Section 21a-4 of the general statutes is repealed and the
777 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

778 (a) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection may refund to any
779 permittee the fee paid by him for any permit issued by said
780 commissioner and returned to him prior to its use, provided
781 application for such refund shall be made not later than sixty days
782 after the effective date of such permit.

783 (b) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection may impose a fine of
784 twenty dollars on any applicant for a permit or license issued by the
785 Commissioner of Consumer Protection who issues to the
786 commissioner a check drawn on the account of such applicant in
787 payment of a permit or license fee and whose check is returned to the
788 Department of Consumer Protection as uncollectible.

789 (c) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection may impose a fine on
790 any applicant who fails to renew a license, permit, certificate or
791 registration not later than the expiration date of such license, permit,
792 certificate or registration. The amount of the fine shall be equal to ten
793 per cent of the renewal fee but shall not be less than ten dollars or
794 more than one hundred dollars.

795 (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of the general statutes,
796 each applicant whose license has lapsed for a period longer than the
797 length of time allowing automatic reinstatement may apply for
798 reinstatement to the appropriate board. Upon receipt of such
799 application and payment of the fee, the board may, at its discretion,
800 reinstate a lapsed license without examination, provided such
801 application for reinstatement is accompanied by a notarized letter and
802 supporting documentation attesting to the applicant's related work
803 experience in their occupation or profession from the time he or she
804 had let such license lapse. Such applicant, upon approval by the board,
805 shall pay all back license and late fees in order for such license to be
806 reinstated.

807 Sec. 21. Subsection (c) of section 20-349 of the general statutes is
808 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
809 *passage*):

810 (c) Any person desiring to be licensed under this chapter shall apply
811 to the board in writing, on forms which the Department of Consumer
812 Protection shall provide, stating: (1) Such person's name, residence
813 address and business address; (2) a brief description of his
814 qualifications, including the length and nature of his experience; (3) in
815 the case of an apprentice, the name of his employer or supervisor; and
816 (4) such other information as the department may require. Each
817 application for a license as a service dealer shall be accompanied by a
818 fee of two hundred dollars. Each application for a license as a licensed
819 electronics technician, licensed antenna technician or licensed radio
820 electronics technician shall be accompanied by a fee of eighty dollars.
821 Each application for a permit as an apprentice shall be accompanied by
822 a fee of forty dollars. If a service dealer as an individual is a licensed
823 electronics technician or licensed radio electronics technician, only one
824 license fee shall be charged in the amount of two hundred dollars. [On
825 receipt of an application under the provisions of this section, the board
826 may, for an additional fee of forty dollars, authorize the department to
827 issue a temporary permit which will allow the applicant to serve in the

828 capacity for which he seeks licensure until the next examination for
829 such license, provided only one such temporary permit shall be issued
830 to such applicant.] All such fees shall be paid to the department.

831 Sec. 22. Subsection (b) of section 21a-4 of the general statutes is
832 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
833 *passage*):

834 (b) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection may impose a fine of
835 twenty dollars on any applicant for a permit or license issued by the
836 Commissioner of Consumer Protection who issues to the
837 commissioner a check drawn on the account of such applicant in
838 payment of a permit or license fee and whose check is returned to the
839 Department of Consumer Protection as uncollectible. In addition, the
840 commissioner may require the applicant to pay to the department any
841 fees charged by a financial institution to the department as a result of
842 such returned check.

843 Sec. 23. Subsection (b) of section 21-33b of the general statutes is
844 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
845 *passage*):

846 (b) Any itinerant vendor or managing itinerant vendor who receives
847 a license pursuant to section 21-28, shall pay a fee of [one] two
848 hundred dollars annually to the guaranty fund. Such fund shall be
849 used to satisfy consumer claims against a licensed itinerant vendor or
850 licensed managing itinerant vendor. In no event shall any payment out
851 of said guaranty fund be in excess of five hundred dollars for any
852 single consumer claim. No claim for payment from the guaranty fund
853 shall be accepted by the commissioner more than six months after the
854 date of the transaction giving rise to such claim.

855 Sec. 24. Section 42-321 of the general statutes is repealed and the
856 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

857 (a) Each contract for social referral services shall provide that such

858 contract may be cancelled within three business days after the date of
859 receipt by the buyer of a copy of the written contract or three business
860 days after the social referral service is made available to the buyer,
861 whichever is later, by written notice, delivered by certified or
862 registered United States mail to the seller at an address which shall be
863 specified in the contract.

864 (b) (1) In every contract for social referral services, the seller shall
865 furnish to the buyer a fully completed copy of such contract at the time
866 of its execution, which shows the date of the transaction and contains
867 the name and address of the seller, and in the immediate proximity to
868 the space reserved in the contract for the signature of the buyer and in
869 not less than ten-point bold face type, a statement in substantially the
870 following form:

871 "YOU, THE BUYER, MAY CANCEL THIS CONTRACT AT ANY
872 TIME PRIOR TO MIDNIGHT OF THE THIRD BUSINESS DAY AFTER
873 YOUR RECEIPT OF THIS CONTRACT OR AFTER THE SOCIAL
874 REFERRAL SERVICE HAS BEEN MADE AVAILABLE FOR YOUR
875 USE, WHICHEVER IS LATER. SEE THE ATTACHED NOTICE OF
876 CANCELLATION FOR AN EXPLANATION OF THIS RIGHT."

877 (2) At the time the buyer signs the social referral service contract, a
878 statement captioned "NOTICE OF CANCELLATION" shall be
879 contained in the contract and shall contain, in not less than ten-point
880 bold face type, the following information and statements:

881 "NOTICE OF CANCELLATION
882

883 (Date of Transaction)
884

885 YOU MAY CANCEL THIS CONTRACT, WITHOUT ANY
886 PENALTY OR OBLIGATION, WITHIN THREE BUSINESS DAYS
887 AFTER YOUR RECEIPT OF THIS CONTRACT OR AFTER THE

888 SOCIAL REFERRAL SERVICE HAS BEEN MADE AVAILABLE FOR
889 YOUR USE, WHICHEVER IS LATER BY MAILING THIS SIGNED
890 AND DATED NOTICE OF CANCELLATION BY CERTIFIED OR
891 REGISTERED UNITED STATES MAIL TO THE SELLER AT THE
892 FOLLOWING ADDRESS: IF YOU CANCEL, ANY PAYMENTS
893 MADE BY YOU UNDER THE CONTRACT WILL BE RETURNED
894 WITHIN TEN BUSINESS DAYS FOLLOWING RECEIPT BY THE
895 SELLER OF YOUR CANCELLATION NOTICE."

896 (3) All moneys paid pursuant to any contract for social referral
897 services shall be refunded within ten business days of receipt of the
898 notice of cancellation.

899 Sec. 25. Subsection (d) of section 20-432 of the general statutes is
900 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
901 *passage*):

902 (d) Whenever an owner obtains a court judgment against any
903 contractor holding a certificate or who has held a certificate under this
904 chapter within the past two years of the effective date of entering into
905 the contract with the owner, for loss or damages sustained by reason of
906 performance of or offering to perform a home improvement within
907 this state by a contractor holding a certificate under this chapter, such
908 owner may, upon the final determination of, or expiration of time for,
909 appeal in connection with any such judgment, apply to the
910 commissioner for an order directing payment out of said guaranty
911 fund of the amount unpaid upon the judgment for actual damages and
912 costs taxed by the court against the contractor, exclusive of punitive
913 damages. The application shall be made on forms provided by the
914 commissioner and shall be accompanied by a copy of the court
915 judgment obtained against the contractor together with a notarized
916 affidavit, signed and sworn to by the owner, affirming that: (1) He has
917 complied with all the requirements of this subsection; (2) he has
918 obtained a judgment stating the amount thereof and the amount owing
919 thereon at the date of application; and (3) he has caused to be issued a

920 writ of execution upon said judgment, and the officer executing the
921 same has made a return showing that no bank accounts or [real]
922 personal property of the contractor liable to be levied upon in
923 satisfaction of the judgment could be found, or that the amount
924 realized on the sale of them or of such of them as were found, under
925 the execution, was insufficient to satisfy the actual damage portion of
926 the judgment or stating the amount realized and the balance remaining
927 due on the judgment after application thereon of the amount realized,
928 except that the requirements of this subdivision shall not apply to a
929 judgment obtained by the owner in small claims court. A true and
930 attested copy of said executing officer's return, when required, shall be
931 attached to such application and affidavit. No application for an order
932 directing payment out of the guaranty fund shall be made later than
933 two years from the final determination of, or expiration time for,
934 appeal of said court judgment.

935 Sec. 26. Section 20-419 of the general statutes is repealed and the
936 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

937 As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires:

938 (1) "Certificate" means a certificate of registration issued under
939 section 20-422.

940 (2) "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Consumer
941 Protection or any person designated by the commissioner to
942 administer and enforce this chapter.

943 (3) "Contractor" means any person who owns and operates a home
944 improvement business or who undertakes, offers to undertake or
945 agrees to perform any home improvement. "Contractor" does not
946 include a person for whom the total cash price of all of his home
947 improvement contracts with all of his customers does not exceed one
948 thousand dollars during any period of twelve consecutive months.

949 (4) "Home improvement" includes, but is not limited to, the repair,

950 replacement, remodeling, alteration, conversion, modernization,
951 improvement, rehabilitation or sandblasting of, or addition to any land
952 or building or that portion thereof which is used or designed to be
953 used as a private residence, dwelling place or residential rental
954 property, or the construction, replacement, installation or
955 improvement of driveways, swimming pools, porches, garages, roofs,
956 siding, insulation, sunrooms, flooring, patios, landscaping, fences,
957 doors and windows and waterproofing in connection with such land
958 or building or that portion thereof which is used or designed to be
959 used as a private residence, dwelling place or residential rental
960 property or the removal or replacement of a residential underground
961 heating oil storage tank system, in which the total cash price for all
962 work agreed upon between the contractor and owner exceeds two
963 hundred dollars. "Home improvement" does not include: (A) The
964 construction of a new home; (B) the sale of goods by a seller who
965 neither arranges to perform nor performs, directly or indirectly, any
966 work or labor in connection with the installation or application of the
967 goods or materials; (C) the sale of goods or services furnished for
968 commercial or business use or for resale, provided commercial or
969 business use does not include use as residential rental property; (D) the
970 sale of appliances, such as stoves, refrigerators, freezers, room air
971 conditioners and others which are designed for and are easily
972 removable from the premises without material alteration thereof; and
973 (E) any work performed without compensation by the owner on his
974 own private residence or residential rental property.

975 (5) "Home improvement contract" means an agreement between a
976 contractor and an owner for the performance of a home improvement.

977 (6) "Owner" means a person who owns or resides in a private
978 residence and includes any agent thereof, including, but not limited to,
979 a condominium association. An owner of a private residence shall not
980 be required to reside in such residence to be deemed an owner under
981 this subdivision.

982 (7) "Person" means an individual, partnership, limited liability
983 company or corporation.

984 (8) "Private residence" means a single family dwelling, a multifamily
985 dwelling consisting of not more than six units, or a unit, common
986 element or limited common element in a condominium, as defined in
987 section 47-68a, or in a common interest community, as defined in
988 section 47-202 or any number of condominium units for which a
989 condominium association acts as an agent for such unit owners.

990 (9) "Salesman" means any individual who (A) negotiates or offers to
991 negotiate a home improvement contract with an owner or (B) solicits
992 or otherwise endeavors to procure by any means whatsoever, directly
993 or indirectly, a home improvement contract from an owner on behalf
994 of a contractor.

995 (10) "Residential rental property" means a single family dwelling, a
996 multifamily dwelling consisting of not more than six units, or a unit,
997 common element or limited common element in a condominium, as
998 defined in section 47-68a, or in a common interest community, as
999 defined in section 47-202, which is not owner-occupied.

1000 (11) "Residential underground heating oil storage tank system"
1001 means an underground storage tank system used with or without
1002 ancillary components in connection with real property composed of
1003 four or less residential units.

1004 (12) "Underground storage tank system" means an underground
1005 tank or combination of tanks, with any underground pipes or ancillary
1006 equipment or containment systems connected to such tank or tanks,
1007 used to contain an accumulation of petroleum, which volume is ten
1008 per cent or more beneath the surface of the ground.

1009 Sec. 27. Section 20-329a of the general statutes is repealed and the
1010 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

1011 As used in sections 20-329a to 20-329n, inclusive:

1012 (1) "Disposition" or "dispose of" means any sale, exchange, lease,
1013 assignment, award by lottery or other transaction designed to convey
1014 an interest in a subdivision or parcel, lot, or unit in a subdivision when
1015 undertaken for gain or profit;

1016 (2) "Offer" means every inducement, solicitation or attempt to bring
1017 about a disposition;

1018 (3) "Person" means an individual, firm, company, association,
1019 corporation, limited liability company, government or governmental
1020 subdivision or agency, business trust, estate, trust, partnership,
1021 unincorporated association or organization, two or more of any of the
1022 foregoing having a joint or common interest, or any other legal or
1023 commercial entity;

1024 (4) "Broker" means a resident real estate broker duly licensed under
1025 this chapter;

1026 (5) "Salesperson" means any person duly licensed as a real estate
1027 salesperson under this chapter;

1028 (6) "Purchaser" means a person who acquires an interest in any lot,
1029 parcel or unit in a subdivision;

1030 (7) "Subdivision" means any improved or unimproved land or tract
1031 of land located outside this state which is divided or proposed to be
1032 divided into five or more lots, parcels, units, [including time-share
1033 units,] or interests for the purpose of disposition, at any time as part of
1034 a common promotional plan. Any land which is under common
1035 ownership or which is controlled by a single developer or a group of
1036 developers acting in concert, is contiguous in area, and is designated or
1037 advertised as a common unit or known by a common name, shall be
1038 presumed, without regard to the number of lots, parcels, units or
1039 interests covered by each individual offering, to be part of a common

1040 promotional plan; and

1041 (8) "Advertising" means publishing or causing to be published: (A)
1042 By means of any newspaper or periodical; (B) by means of any radio or
1043 television broadcast; (C) by means of any written or printed or
1044 photographic matter produced by any duplicating process producing
1045 ten copies or more, any information offering for sale or for the purpose
1046 of causing or inducing any other person to purchase or to acquire an
1047 interest in the title to subdivided lands, including the land sales
1048 contract to be used and any photographs or drawings or artist's
1049 representations of physical conditions or facilities on the property
1050 existing or to exist; or (D) by means of any material used in connection
1051 with the disposition or offer of subdivided lands by radio, television,
1052 telephone or any other electronic means. "Advertising" does not
1053 include: Stockholder communications such as annual reports and
1054 interim financial reports, proxy materials, registration statements,
1055 securities prospectuses, applications for listing securities on stock
1056 exchanges, and the like; prospectuses, property reports, offering
1057 statements or other documents required to be delivered to prospective
1058 purchasers by an agency of any other state or the federal government;
1059 all communications addressed to and relating to the account of any
1060 persons who have previously executed a contract for the purchase of
1061 the subdivider's lands except where directed to the sale of additional
1062 lands; or press releases or other communications delivered to
1063 newspapers or other periodicals for general information or public
1064 relations purposes, provided no charge is made by such newspapers or
1065 other periodicals for the publication or use of any part of such
1066 communications.

1067 Sec. 28. Section 20-329b of the general statutes is repealed and the
1068 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

1069 (a) Unless the method of disposition is adopted for the purpose of
1070 the evasion of the provisions of sections 20-329a to 20-329m, inclusive,
1071 or the provisions of the federal Interstate Land Sales Full Disclosure

1072 Act, said sections shall not apply to: (1) The making of any offer or
1073 disposition of any subdivision or lot, parcel, unit or interest in any
1074 subdivision (A) by a purchaser of any subdivision lot, parcel or unit for
1075 the purchaser's own account in a single or isolated transaction, (B) to
1076 any person who is engaged in the business of the construction of
1077 residential, commercial or industrial buildings, other than any lot,
1078 parcel, unit or interest in any subdivision, for disposition, (C) pursuant
1079 to the order of any court in this state, or (D) by any government or
1080 government agency; (2) any offer or disposition of any evidence of
1081 indebtedness secured by way of any mortgage or deed of trust of real
1082 estate; (3) securities or units of interest issued by an investment trust
1083 regulated under the laws of this state; (4) cemetery lots; or (5) the
1084 leasing of apartments, offices or stores, or the leasing of similar space
1085 within any apartment building, commercial building or industrial
1086 building.

1087 (b) The [commission] Department of Consumer Protection may
1088 from time to time, pursuant to regulations adopted by the
1089 Commissioner of Consumer Protection pursuant to chapter 54, with
1090 the advice and assistance of the commission, exempt any subdivision
1091 from any of the provisions of sections 20-329a to 20-329m, inclusive, if
1092 the [commission] department finds that the enforcement of said
1093 sections, with respect to such subdivision or lots, parcels, units or
1094 interests in such subdivision, is not necessary in the public interest and
1095 for the protection of purchasers by reason of the small amount
1096 involved or the limited character of the offering, or because such
1097 property has been registered and approved pursuant to the laws of
1098 any other state.

1099 (c) Any subdivision which has been registered under the federal
1100 Interstate Land Sales Full Disclosure Act shall be exempt from the
1101 provisions of section 20-329d, except for the narrative description of
1102 the promotional plan for the disposition of the subdivided lands and
1103 copies of all advertising material which has been prepared for public
1104 distribution by any means of communications, required under

1105 subdivision (2) of said section, upon the filing with the [commission]
1106 department of a copy of an effective statement of record filed with the
1107 Secretary of Housing and Urban Development or any successor
1108 agency, together with a filing fee of three hundred dollars for each
1109 subdivision covered by such effective statement of record. The fee for
1110 filing a consolidation or an additional number of lots not included in
1111 the initial filing shall be three hundred dollars.

1112 Sec. 29. Section 20-329c of the general statutes is repealed and the
1113 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

1114 Except as provided in section 20-329b, no subdivision or lot, parcel,
1115 unit or interest in any subdivision shall in any way be offered or
1116 disposed of in this state by any person or broker until: (1) Such person
1117 or broker has appointed in writing the Secretary of the State and his or
1118 her successors in office to be such person's or broker's attorney, upon
1119 whom all process, in any action or proceeding against such person or
1120 broker, may be served. Such person or broker shall agree in such
1121 written appointment that any process against such person or broker
1122 which is served on the Secretary of the State shall be of the same legal
1123 force and validity as if served on such person or broker and that such
1124 appointment shall continue in force as long as any liability remains
1125 outstanding against such person or broker in this state. Such written
1126 appointment shall be acknowledged before an officer authorized to
1127 take acknowledgments of deeds and shall be filed in the office of the
1128 Secretary of the State, and copies certified by the Secretary of the State
1129 shall be sufficient evidence of such appointment and agreement; (2)
1130 such person or broker has posted with the [commission] Department
1131 of Consumer Protection such bond, in favor of the state, as the
1132 [commission] department may require with surety in such amount as
1133 the [commission] department may in its discretion determine. No bond
1134 which may be required under sections 20-329a to 20-329m, inclusive,
1135 shall be accepted for filing unless it is with a surety company
1136 authorized to do business in this state. Any person aggrieved by an act
1137 of the principal named in such bond in violation of the provisions of

1138 this chapter may proceed on such bond against the principal or surety
1139 therein, or both, to recover damages; and (3) such person or broker has
1140 received a license under section 20-329f. Any person or broker
1141 violating the provisions of this section shall be fined not less than one
1142 thousand dollars and not more than five thousand dollars for each
1143 offense.

1144 Sec. 30. Section 20-329d of the general statutes is repealed and the
1145 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

1146 Any person or broker proposing to offer or dispose of any
1147 subdivision or lot, parcel, unit or interest therein in this state shall first
1148 submit to the [commission] department (1) such particulars and details
1149 of the subdivision or lots, parcels, units or other interest in any
1150 subdivision to be offered or to be disposed of as the [commission]
1151 department may by regulation require, including but not limited to a
1152 prospectus, property report or offering statement embodying all the
1153 terms relative to the offering and disposition, (2) a narrative
1154 description of the promotional plan for the disposition of the
1155 subdivided lands together with copies of all advertising material
1156 which has been prepared for public distribution by any means of
1157 communications, (3) a completed license application in such form as
1158 the [commission] department may require, and (4) a filing fee of three
1159 hundred dollars for each subdivision to be offered or disposed of. The
1160 fee for filing a consolidation or an additional number of lots not
1161 included in the initial filing shall be three hundred dollars.

1162 Sec. 31. Section 20-329e of the general statutes is repealed and the
1163 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

1164 Before the [commission] Department of Consumer Protection issues
1165 any license under section 20-329f to any person or broker, the
1166 [Department of Consumer Protection] department shall fully
1167 investigate all information placed before the department as may be
1168 required pursuant to sections 20-329a to 20-329m, inclusive, and may

1169 carry out a physical examination, investigation or inspection of any
1170 subdivision which is the subject of the application. All reasonable
1171 expenses incurred in carrying out such examination, investigation or
1172 inspection shall be paid by the applicant and no such license shall be
1173 issued until such expenses have been fully paid.

1174 Sec. 32. Subsection (a) of section 20-329f of the general statutes is
1175 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
1176 *passage*):

1177 (a) The [commission] Department of Consumer Protection shall,
1178 upon completion of the investigation and inspection as provided in
1179 section 20-329e, but, in the absence of any agreement to the contrary
1180 between the applicant and the [commission] department, not later than
1181 three months from the receipt of the completed license application, or
1182 receipt of an effective statement of record filed with the Secretary of
1183 Housing and Urban Development or successor agency and filed with
1184 the [commission] department pursuant to subsection (c) of section 20-
1185 329b, (1) approve or disapprove the prospectus, property report or
1186 offering statement submitted under subsection (c) of section 20-329b or
1187 section 20-329d, as the case may be, and (2) if satisfied, issue to the
1188 applicant, upon payment to the [commission] department of a fee
1189 computed as provided in subsection (b) of this section, a license to
1190 offer and dispose of in this state the subdivision or parcels, units or
1191 other interests in any subdivision that is the subject of the application
1192 or such effective statement of record. Such license shall be valid for one
1193 year and may be renewed annually upon payment to the [commission]
1194 department of a fee, computed as provided in subsection (b) of this
1195 section, unless there is a material change affecting such subdivision or
1196 lot, parcels, units or other interest in any subdivision or the offer or
1197 disposition thereof, in which case all new facts shall be reported to the
1198 [commission] department immediately. Upon receipt of such report or
1199 in the event that any such material change is discovered by or comes to
1200 the attention of the [commission] department through other sources,
1201 the [commission] department may, after a hearing pursuant to section

1202 20-321, take such action as the [commission] department considers
1203 necessary, including the suspension or revocation of such license if
1204 justified.

1205 Sec. 33. Section 20-329g of the general statutes is repealed and the
1206 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

1207 No person or broker shall in any manner refer to the commission or
1208 department or to any member or employee thereof in offering or
1209 disposing of in this state any subdivision lot, parcel or unit in a
1210 subdivision nor make any representation whatsoever that such
1211 property has been inspected or approved or otherwise passed upon by
1212 the commission or department or any official, department or employee
1213 of this state. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be
1214 fined not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand
1215 dollars.

1216 Sec. 34. Section 20-329h of the general statutes is repealed and the
1217 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

1218 (a) No subdivision or lot, parcel, unit or interest in any subdivision
1219 shall be disposed of except through a broker, provided nothing in this
1220 subsection shall be deemed to prohibit any such broker from
1221 employing any salesperson, for the specific purpose of offering or
1222 disposing of, on behalf of such broker and under contract to such
1223 broker, any lot, parcel, unit or interest in any subdivision. Prior to any
1224 offering or disposition, pursuant to any license granted under sections
1225 20-329a to 20-329m, inclusive, the name of such broker shall be placed
1226 on file with the [commission] Department of Consumer Protection.

1227 (b) A clearly identified copy of the prospectus, property report or
1228 offering statement shall be given to each purchaser by the broker or
1229 salesperson prior to the execution of any contract for the disposition of
1230 any such property. The broker or salesperson shall obtain from the
1231 purchaser a signed receipt for a copy of such prospectus, property
1232 report or offering statement and, if a contract for disposition shall be

1233 entered into, the receipt shall be kept in the broker's files for a period
1234 of seven years and shall be subject to inspection by the [commission]
1235 department. Upon termination of such broker or salesperson's
1236 employment with the developer, all such records shall be turned over
1237 to the developer within thirty days and shall be retained by such
1238 developer for the duration of the seven-year period.

1239 (c) Any contract or agreement for the disposition of any subdivision
1240 or any lot, parcel, unit or interest in any subdivision, not exempted
1241 under the provisions of section 20-329b, where the prospectus,
1242 property report or offering statement has not been given to the
1243 purchaser more than seventy-two hours in advance of his signing such
1244 contract or agreement, may be revoked by the purchaser within
1245 seventy-two hours after the purchaser signed the contract or
1246 agreement or after receipt by the purchaser of such prospectus,
1247 property report or offering statement, whichever is the later, and the
1248 contract or agreement shall so provide, except that the contract or
1249 agreement may stipulate that such revocation authority shall not apply
1250 in the case of a purchaser who (1) has received the prospectus,
1251 property report or offering statement and inspected the subdivision in
1252 advance of signing the contract or agreement, and (2) acknowledges by
1253 his signature that the purchaser has made such inspection and has
1254 read and understood the prospectus, property report or offering
1255 statement. Any such revocation shall be in writing in a form prescribed
1256 by the [commission] department and shall be communicated to the
1257 broker within the time period specified in this subsection. All moneys
1258 paid by the purchaser under such revoked contract or agreement shall
1259 be returned immediately to the purchaser by the broker without any
1260 deductions.

1261 Sec. 35. Section 20-329i of the general statutes is repealed and the
1262 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

1263 Any broker or salesperson who violates any provision of section 20-
1264 329a to 20-329m, inclusive, shall, in addition to any other penalty

1265 imposed by said sections, and subject to the provisions of section 20-
1266 321, have his real estate broker's or real estate salesperson's license
1267 suspended or revoked by the [commission] department for such time
1268 as in the circumstances the [commission] department considers
1269 justified.

1270 Sec. 36. Subsection (b) of section 21a-70 of the general statutes is
1271 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
1272 *passage*):

1273 (b) No wholesaler or manufacturer shall operate as such until he has
1274 received a certificate of registration issued by the commissioner, which
1275 certificate shall be renewed annually, provided no such certificate shall
1276 be required of a manufacturer whose principal place of business is
1277 located outside the state, who is registered with the federal Food and
1278 Drug Administration or any successor agency and who files a copy of
1279 such registration with the commissioner. A fee of one hundred ninety
1280 dollars shall be charged for each wholesaler's certificate and renewal
1281 thereof. [and the] A separate certificate and corresponding fee is
1282 required for each location existing in this state and for each location
1283 existing outside of this state that distributes products into this state.
1284 The fee for a manufacturer's certificate and renewal thereof shall be
1285 two hundred eighty-five dollars for manufacturers employing not
1286 more than five licensed pharmacists or qualified chemists or both;
1287 three hundred seventy-five dollars for manufacturers employing not
1288 more than ten licensed pharmacists or qualified chemists or both; and
1289 nine hundred forty dollars for manufacturers employing more than ten
1290 licensed pharmacists or qualified chemists or both. No such certificate
1291 shall be issued to a manufacturer unless such drugs, medical devices
1292 or cosmetics are manufactured or compounded under the direct
1293 supervision of a licensed pharmacist or a qualified chemist. No
1294 certificate of registration shall be issued under this section until the
1295 applicant has furnished proof satisfactory to the commissioner that the
1296 applicant is equipped as to facilities and apparatus to properly carry
1297 on the business described in his application and that the applicant

1298 conforms to chapter 418 and regulations adopted thereunder.

1299 Sec. 37. Subsection (c) of section 21a-246 of the general statutes is
1300 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
1301 *passage*):

1302 (c) The fee for licenses provided pursuant to this section shall be
1303 according to the following schedule: For any wholesaler, one hundred
1304 ninety dollars per annum for each location existing in this state and for
1305 each location existing outside of this state that distributes products into
1306 this state; for manufacturers employing not more than five licensed
1307 pharmacists or qualified chemists or both, two hundred eighty-five
1308 dollars per annum; for manufacturers employing six to ten licensed
1309 pharmacists or qualified chemists or both, three hundred seventy-five
1310 dollars per annum; for manufacturers employing more than ten
1311 licensed pharmacists or qualified chemists or both, nine hundred forty
1312 dollars per annum; for laboratories, eighty dollars per annum. A
1313 separate fee is required for each place of business or professional
1314 practice where the licensee uses, manufactures, stores, distributes,
1315 analyzes or dispenses [controlled] drugs, medical devices or cosmetics.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	30-7
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	12-563
Sec. 3	<i>from passage</i>	20-332(a)
Sec. 4	<i>from passage</i>	20-377p
Sec. 5	<i>from passage</i>	25-129(f)
Sec. 6	<i>from passage</i>	43-3
Sec. 7	<i>from Passage</i>	12-575
Sec. 8	<i>from passage</i>	7-173
Sec. 9	<i>from passage</i>	21a-190b
Sec. 10	<i>from passage</i>	20-314(f)
Sec. 11	<i>from passage</i>	20-417b(e)
Sec. 12	<i>from passage</i>	20-432(g)
Sec. 13	<i>from passage</i>	42-310(a)

Sec. 14	<i>from passage</i>	20-419
Sec. 15	<i>from passage</i>	20-512
Sec. 16	<i>from passage</i>	20-334a(a)
Sec. 17	<i>from passage</i>	20-335
Sec. 18	<i>from passage</i>	20-355(d)
Sec. 19	<i>from passage</i>	20-654
Sec. 20	<i>from passage</i>	21a-4
Sec. 21	<i>from passage</i>	20-349(c)
Sec. 22	<i>from passage</i>	21a-4(b)
Sec. 23	<i>from passage</i>	21-33b(b)
Sec. 24	<i>from passage</i>	42-321
Sec. 25	<i>from passage</i>	20-432(d)
Sec. 26	<i>from passage</i>	20-419
Sec. 27	<i>from passage</i>	20-329a
Sec. 28	<i>from passage</i>	20-329b
Sec. 29	<i>from passage</i>	20-329c
Sec. 30	<i>from passage</i>	20-329d
Sec. 31	<i>from passage</i>	20-329e
Sec. 32	<i>from passage</i>	20-329f(a)
Sec. 33	<i>from passage</i>	20-329g
Sec. 34	<i>from passage</i>	20-329h
Sec. 35	<i>from passage</i>	20-329i
Sec. 36	<i>from passage</i>	21a-70(b)
Sec. 37	<i>from passage</i>	21a-246(c)

Statement of Purpose:

To make minor and technical changes to Department of Consumer Protection statutes to reduce unnecessary paperwork, increase agency work process efficiency, comply with federal rules, conform to customary practices and remove and update antiquated provisions.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]